

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY AT

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

November 13, 2002

IN RE:

**BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.
TARIFF TO INTRODUCE SWA CONTRACT
TARIFF IN THE ACCESS SERVICES TARIFF**

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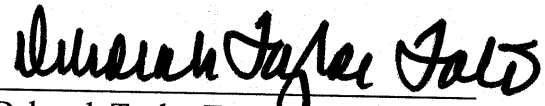
ORDER ACCEPTING WITHDRAWAL

This matter came before Director Deborah Taylor Tate, Director Pat Miller and Director Ron Jones of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority (the "Authority" or "TRA"), the voting panel assigned to this docket, at the regularly scheduled Authority Conference held on August 19, 2002, for consideration of the BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s ("BellSouth") request to withdraw its *Tariff to Introduce SWA Contract Tariff in the Access Services Tariff* ("BellSouth's Tariff"), filed on August 13, 2002. BellSouth's Tariff was filed on June 28, 2002 with an effective date of July 29, 2002, and was suspended for thirty (30) days by the Authority at the July 23, 2002 Authority Conference.

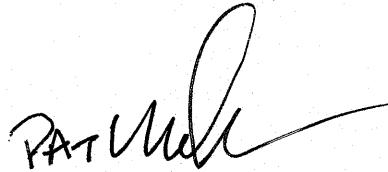
Upon consideration of BellSouth's request to withdraw and the entire record in this matter, the Directors voted unanimously to approve the withdrawal of BellSouth's *Tariff to Introduce SWA Contract Tariff in the Access Services Tariff*. The withdrawal of BellSouth's Tariff renders moot the Petition to Intervene filed on August 15, 2002 by the Consumer Advocate and Protection Division of the Office of the Attorney General.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

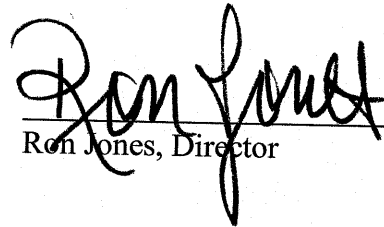
BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s request to withdraw the *Tariff to Introduce SWA Contract Tariff in the Access Services Tariff* is approved.



Deborah Taylor Tate, Director



Pat Miller, Director



Ron Jones, Director